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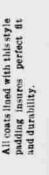
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# ing Machine Depot.

Hot After Murderers.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 19-The authorities today completed evidence to hang six members of the Montterrorized this section of the state. The feeling is so high that lynching will follow any delay. Clark Lewis, Albert Viars were indicted for murder ism." today. They are all members of the Lewis gang who have ten or more murders to answer for.

A Concession Modified.

Lic. Pablo Martinez del Rio, repre-senting the Mexican Central Railroad Co., has entered, with the department of communications. into a contract with respect to the company's concession for the railway from Ciudad Lerdo to San Pedro de la Colonia. The modifications emboded in this concession refer to the internal organization of the corporation. They provide that the company may issue shares and bonds and may mortgage the line to secure the payment of the principal and interest of such bond.

It is also provided that as long as the line from Lerdo to San Pedro belongs o the Central railway, there need be no special government representatives on the board of said line but that the government representatives on the board of the Central shall perform the duties that would have been performed the board of the San Pedro road, supposing the latter had been owned by a separate corporation. - Mex. Herald.

The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway will expend one million dollars in New Mexico this year improving its property, and, at the same time the

The unexpected-and for that reason all the more pleasing-bid made by the Pennsylvania road for popularity. among bicyclists, is probably without a parallel in this country. In voluntarily taking off the charges for trans-porting wheels the Pennsy has made a clever move that will be remembered by the few millions of riders of this

## THE WAR IS DECLARED.

Greeks and Turks now in Open Conflict.

### GREEKS INVADE TURKEY.

II Europe is Ablaze and Excited Over turn. the War and the Powers Have Become Suspicious of One Another and are Keeping Quiet, Awaiting

WASHINGTON, April 19 .- The Turk- locating here. ish minister this morning granted an interview to the Scripps-McRae correspondent and said: "The empire tried to keep peace, but discovered that the Greek irregulars had crossed the frontier and opened hostilities with the entire knowledge of the Greek and agents are recalled from Greece El Paso. and war is on. Other powers are not necessarily involved, although events R. Harvey have gone to Fort Worth to well supplied with arms, while Greece of Pythias. has only 100,000. Our navy is twenty times stronger than Greece. America will not feel the effects of the war unless others are embroiled."

CONDITIONS OF EUROPEAN POWERS. LONDON, April 19. News of engageare coming in slowly. The political with her mother and brother. phase of the situation is causing the European capitals. That Greece has bard, who has been called to the sick received the assurances of support bed of his father in Michigan. from one or more of the great powers reluctance to begin the conflict gives color to the idea that she knew that firming a goodly number of our young Greece was not alone. On the other folks. Prospector. hand-the policy of no sympathy put Turks without risking the popular in- and most probably next week .- Ardignation to such a pitch as to threaten gus.

a revolution. England's position

The Turkish losses were heavy and that of the Greeks light. THE WAR NEWS IN NEW YORK. NEW YORK. April 19 .- The news that war had actually been declared

between Greece and Turkey, caused etc. Fully warranted. great excitement among the members of the local Greek colony. Solom Sastio, of the Greek National

league, said: "It is a mistake to suppose Greece, a small country is unable to cope with the Turks. Free Greece is small, but enslaved Greece is great in territory and population. Macedonia and Epirus are purely Hellenic, and when our troops enter they are in their own country. All the Asiatic shore of Turkey will be aflame and Greece must either win or sink forever to a third gomery gang of murderers who have class nation. King George did not Beaman, widow of Dr. Beaman, 77 years an asylum. want war, but the Greek leaders said that the time had come to strike for freedom. It is the cross against the a bed, and threatened to burn her alive Wilber Slaughter, Henry Gibson and crescent-civilization against barbar-

CORFU, April 19. -Furious fighting has been in progress on the frontier near Arta. It is rumored that the party. Blood hounds were used this Greeks have taken Menaxa by assault. ATHENS, April 19 .- A decisive battle between the Greeks and Turks in Milouni, is expected today. Advices from the frontier say that both sides still hold good positions and decisive results are expected at any time.

The Greeks have not yet capture the city of Prevenza, on the gulf of Arta, but terrible havoc has been wrought by the Greek guns in the bombardment. More than half the city is in ruins they say. At day break the fighting! was renewed. Great excitement prevails in Athens and throughout Greece today. Business is abandoned and crowds throng the streets while troops are being hurried to the by the government representatives on front. The country is ablazed with the war feeling.

LONDON, April 19.—Official dispatch received at the foreign office states that the Turkish troopsycarried Milouna Pass, the key to Thessaly and are now on a direct road to Larissa, the

ATHENS, April 19.-Fighting was resumed this morning at various points small shor's were caught. frontier and was marching into Epirus. The Turkish advance posts were put to flight. Several thousand insurgents have crossed the frontier into Epirus, seeking to incite the discontented inhabitants to rebellion.

WASHINGTON, April 19.-The state department received a dispatch from country. Certain it is that by no single act could a railroad appeal to such a key, telling of the Turkish declaration key, telling of the Turkish declaration of war. Terrill says the troops can "On to White Oaks!" will now not quickly concentrate for a decisive

> The Kentucky Situation FRANKFORT, Ky., April 19 .- One vote was cast for each of the cand dates

THE INS AND OUTS. Going and Coming of El Paso People and Others

Dr. King's wife has gone to Belton on Thomas O'Keeffe of Killairney, Ire

Alderman Stewart has returned from his last stock expedition. Jim Latham has gone to Eagle

Pass as witness in a train robbery Mr. Reeves of the Santa Fe left this noon for Grand Rapids, and will not re-

W. T. Reed, for the past few years ssociated with the Eddy Argus, was in town Sunday. Mrs. J. R. Ross and children, of Big

Springs, are visiting with William Shedd's family. Mr. C. E. McClintock, of Popular Bluff, Mo, is in the city and thinks of

Mrs. A. J. De Russey arrived yesterday from New Orleans, and is with her husband at the Pierson. Mr. Ketelsen and family left over

Europe via New York. M J. McPaerson and wife, of Howell, government. Now all the ministers home, after having spent the winter in Mich., left this noon for their northern

D Y. Hadley, W. H. Long and G. may change. Turkey has 300,000 men attend the grand lodge of the Knights Mr. Thos. J. Keogh and his farce

comedy company arrived this morning on the T. & P., and will be ready to appear on the boards tonight. Mrs. A. P. Coles and Miss Etta Jones

eft over the G. H. this afternoon for Montgomery, Ala, whence Mrs. Coles nents on the Greaco-Tarko frontier will continue on to New York to visit A. S. Bishop, operator in the G. H.

Elizario, to relieve Agent A. O. Hub-Bishop Kendrick returned to Bisbee is believed by many. Turkey's patience on the train this evening to be in atunder the extreme provocation and tendance at the regular Easter services. Easter is the bishop's day in Bisbee and he generally has the pleasure of con-

Russia and Germany with the Turks, the Baptist church in El Paso, is as-In Italy and France, sympathy is more sisting Reverend Emerson in conductpowerful than policy, and neither government would actively assist the continue the remainder of the week, which it is said \$500,000 was sent to

Mr. G. O. Perkins and wife arrived is doubtful but today it is leaning to yesterday from Chicago and will take up a permanent residence in this city for the benefit of his wife's health. Mr. An Athens dispatch says the Greeks Perkins was news superintendent for captured Menaxa after severe fighting. the United Press association until the NEW YORK, April 19.—A comprorman Tertial losses were heavy and demise of that concern on the 7th of mise may be effected between Senator this mouth. He will probably hold down | Platt and the administration; over the a key in the Western Union if a vacancy occurs there.

Cuban Reingee's Tale.

family of nine refugees arrived here they decide on an open war on the adfrom Cuba this morning. Davis was ministration. They are likewise dismanager of the famous Buena Vista gusted over the patronage. plantation near Havana. He tells a terrible story of Spanish aggression. He says the entire island is on the verge starvation, and the prevailing misery and distress is beyond belief. The peoples' only hope is in this country's recognition of the Cubans as bel-

Bound and Robbed. old, was visited by three masked men last night, who tied her and put her on if she refused to reveal the hiding place of her money. The robbers got \$700 in gold and some currency. Two whites and one negro were in the morning in tracing the robbers.

Surprised the Deacons. PATERSON, N. J., April 19.-Elisha lanning, a well known citizen, created a commotion in the Cross street Methodist church last night by walking down the aisle close to the pulpit and then produced a bottle of whiskey and drank to the health of the congregation. He was locked up. The church people feel greatly scandaliz-

On the White House Lawn-

WASHINGTON, April 19.-Several thousand children, black and white, tossed multi-colored eggs over the lawns of the white house grounds today, enjoying an annual festival which is peculiar to the national capitol. Mr. and Mrs. McKinley watched the sport from the piazzas.

War Caused a Panic. CHICAGO, April 19 .- Wheat jumped four cents at the opening of today is due to war news. A real panic prevailed in the wheat pit. Innumerable tramps. The loss will reach \$100,000.

The Papal Consistory. ROME, April 19.-The papal consisory at the Vatican this morning appointed four new cardinals, twenty bishops. The papal allocution contained nothing notable.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Judge Wil-liam R. Day, of Canton, special agent in this city today. "Roose in Harness." Washington, April 19.—Theolore

Inquiving Into Cuban Affairs.

secretary of navy this morning. Silver Market. NE v YORK, April 19.—Silver, 62: ead, 3-20: Moxican dollars, 49½.

Harrigan & Hart's Skidmore Guards ere but a faint foreshadowing of the for senator today and the joint assembly McGirty Light Guards under Captain Peg tomorrow night.

People Preparing for a Flooded City.

Of all the Conditions of the Floods in the Past, it is Now the Most Dangerous, and More Lives and Property are at Stake Than Ever Be-

NEW ORLEANS, April 19 .- In the event of the levee giving away the fire alarm and all city bells will be sounded as a warning to people to seek safety in the nearest substantial high buildings. the G. H. this afternoon en route to The break at Carrollton will place the highest parts of New Orleans under six feet of water and a break is expected at any moment. The water has softened

### Very Near to Jail.

WASHINGTON, April 19 .- E. R. hapman, of the sugar trust contempt. is nearer jail than ever before. The supreme court has decided against him in the habeas-corpus case. The decision was handed down today with two justices dissenting. The case has been fought every step during three years, since Chapman. in behalf the firm of brokers, refused to deliver up keenest anxiety to inner circles of dispatcher's office has gone to San the books called for by congressional committee seeking to establish that senators had been speculating in

Hard Words Used.

CHICAGO, April 19 .- "Lynch law for the street railway magnates," "mob ustice for traitorous senators," "public shame for the directors of street rail-Rev. L. R. Mill'can, late pastor of road companies," were among the veiled threats made at a mass meeting in bitter protests against the Humph-Springfield. The list of speakers including Mayor Harrison and was made up of the most prominent men in Chicago.

### Wants More Pie.

NEW YORK, April 19 .- A compre subject of the patronage now being strained. Senator Chandler and his New Hampshire colleague, said they DENVER, April 19 .- John Davis and are assured that Platt will join them if

Crazy Over Air Ships. FINDLAY, Ohio, April 19 .- Reports of the air ships being seen all over the country caused an estimable lady of this city to go crazy. Mrs. Elenor A. Woodruff, a widow, a few days ago appealed to a neighbor to build her an air ship, saying she had all the plans in her head. Last night she became DECATUR, Ills , April 19 .- Mrs. Ann | crazed and this morning was placed in

Wants Damages. WASHINGTON, April 19 .- Edward J. lvory, arrested in England last fall on a charge of conspiring to destroy public buildings with dynamite, has prepared a bomb for the British government in the shape of a claim for \$100,000 which he asks the state department to pres for immediate payment.

The Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, April 19 .- It can be said on good authority that when the tariff bill is reported to the senate the retroactive clause will not be in it. The sub-committee will be ready to report the bill to the full committee on Wednesday. It will be before the senate by May 1.

Col. Mosby Slated.

WASHINGTON, April 19 .- The impression prevails that the president will appoint Col. Mosby, the famous confederate chieftain, as consul to Cuba after Judge Day has specially reported on the condition of the is-

Started by Tramps.

BEEREA, Ohio, April 19 .- A disastrous fire started this morning and in less than two hours the entire business portion of the town was destroyed. The conflagration was started by

The Date Vixed.

WASHINGTON, April 19 .- The senate today passed the Indian appropriaion bill and then went into executive session. May 5 was fixed upon as the date for a vote on the arbitration bill. First Cruiser to Arrive.

NEW YORK, April 19 .- The first of

he cruisers to participate in the

ceremonies connected with the dedicato inquire into Cuban situation, arrived tion of the Grant monument arrived today-Her Majesty's ship Talbot. The Missouri Flood. KANSAS CITY, April 19.-The Mis-

soori river cintinues to slowly rise

here. At Omaha the damage by th flood amoun's io \$200,000. The Project Abandoned. DENVER, April 19.-Lloyd Jones has eccived official word from Salt Lake

this morning that this year's Eistedd.

fod had been abandoned.

### That Contest.

A great deal has been said pro and con upon the streets concerning the contest of John O'Keeffe vs. Joseph Magoffin instituted before the city council. As but few are aware of the facts concerning the same, and as many feel that they do not wish to see a repetition of the long drawn out contest of 1889, I beg the public to indulge me in

the following statement:
While Mr. O'Keeffe was up at Selden investigating the charges of fraud in THE LEVEES WEAKENING. connection with the voting of Mexicans upon certificates purchased for that purpose, unmistakable evidence was shown his friends that democratic workers had illegally registered a large number of voters from different lodging houses in the city, and that the certificates of some railroad men who were out of town had been used, and these men impersonated at the polls by hobos. It was known that Registrar Howe had tried to have none but legal voters registered, and no investigation was made previous to the election, but when parties appeared to vote claiming residence at the Delaware house whom Captain Frank Carr did not know and at the St. George who were unknown to the proprietor, Mr. Andrews, an inve-tigation was thought proper and was commenced, with the result that these illegal registrations were found to have been practiced quite extensively. Adding to this, the undoubted proof that parties who were out of town had been impersonated it was

the base of the levee and is oozing thought proper to file this contest.

The public should bear in mind, that registration cuts off the great labor which would be entailed on a contest without it. The voter is located by the residence, given to the registrar. If he has had no residence at

that place, it clearly proves him to have voted illegally. The democratic cardidates are not blamed for this illegal work. It was frowned upon by all good citizens. Some of the men thought to be respon-sible for it have been looked upon as hard working, honest, industrious

One railroad man, who was imposed upon, stated that he did not dream that the man whom, upon solicitation, he allowed to keep his certificate, would use the certificate for any such pur-pose. We believe that if the demoratic candidates had known what was going on they would have protested, but now they should acquiesce in an honest, straightforward investigation, let the result be for or against them.

Now, as to the proper method for a contest. There is no claim of the con--stees, but what before the amendment to the constitution upon which laws were enacted in 1895 that the ity council was the proper body before which to contest. At the time the legislature enacted the bill to make the amendment active, they did not, in the general bill, confer on the district court authority to hear and determine contests of city officers, but did in the reenacting of the general laws governing cities and towns, say the council should be the judges of the ELECTION and qualifications of its members. Now, it was decided in the Krakauer-Caples case that this law was final and alhough Mr. Krakauer was eligible to the mayoralty when they declared the ote, yet the decision of the council that he was not, could not be re-viewed as they were the sole judges of the ELECTION and qualifications of the members. his council declare the returns as now constituted Mr. O'Keeffe is forever barred from any rights he might have by an investigation, while if they hear the contest it can be decided in a week who is rightfully elected. visions of the charter and the decision in the Krakauer-Caples case make this opinion unassailable and no decision

sustains the contention of attorneys for contes ees that contests for mayor or alderman should go to the district court Now, it is hoped that every good citizen will encourage this contest be-fore the city council, not for the purpose of keeping one man out, and put-ting another in, but to investigate the fraudulent registration and illegal voting with a view of eliminating, as far

Very respectfully,
J. A. SMITH,
Chairman committee of contest.

as possible, such acts in the future.

Has Got Religion. A letter from Pecos, dated April 16, says that J. B. Miller, who killed Bud Frazer last fall, had been admitted to bond in the sum of \$6,000, but that he had failed to find bondsmen up to the above date. The letter further stated that while the sheriff of Eastland county had Miller in charge, he gave him the liberty of the town and that Miller attended a camp meeting, got religion and shouted right out in open meeting. The judge who was hearing the habeas corpus case to see whether Miller should be allowed bond, excused the sher if by saving he was a new man in office and did not know that it was not right to allow murderers to attend camp meetings and get religion. The latter also says that it is rumored that move to Eastland to reside, and that when he leaves Pecos there will be a grand jubilee and that the people will rejoice thereat.



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